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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2009, consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested. Applicants petition for a one-month extension in the period for response; the required fee is attached. If any other fee required to consider this response is missing or deficient, Applicants authorize the fee (or any deficiency therein) to be charged to Deposit Account 14-1140 under Order No. 37-86.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-6.

Claims 21-34 are added.

Remarks begin on page 7.